

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:
storing an address for each of a plurality of web services;
assigning one or more of a plurality of types with each web service;
associating one or more of said plurality of types to an application;
in response to a client running the application, sending a list identifying one or more web services assigned with the one or more types associated with the application;
and in response to the user selecting one of the one or more web services in the list, redirecting the client to the selected web service.

2. (Currently Amended) ~~The method of claim 1, wherein~~ A method comprising:

storing, at a server, an address for each of a plurality of web services, the address including is a URL (Uniform Resource Locator);
assigning, at the server, one of a plurality of business types with each web service;
associating, at the server, one or more of said plurality of business types to an application;
sending, by the server in response to a client running the application, a list identifying one or more web services assigned with the one or more business types associated with the application; and
redirecting, in response to the user selecting one of the one or more web services in the list, the client to the selected web service.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein each address is stored in an entry in a table.

4. (Original) The method of claim 3, wherein additional information relating to

the service is stored in the service entry in the table.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein said redirecting the client browser comprises generating a URL call.

6. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the URL call is in an Open Catalog Interface or Open Partner Interface compliant OCI/OPI-compliant format.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising: opening a new browser at the client for the selected service.

8. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising: receiving an Open Catalog Interface or Open Partner Interface compliant OCI/OPI-compliant response from the service.

9. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising: in response to receiving the list at the client, displaying at the client an identifier for each of the one or more services in the list[[:]].

10. (Currently Amended) A system comprising: ~~A system comprising:~~
a server including
a plurality of applications, each application associated with one or more service types,
and
a table including a number of entries, each entry including an address for an external web service and a service type assigned to the external web service;
a plurality of clients, each client including a browser;
a first networked communication system operative to enable communication between the server and the plurality of clients;
a second networked computer system operative to enable ~~communicator~~ communication between the plurality of clients and external web services; and
an integration module operative to:
in response to a client opening one of the applications, sending a list identifying

one or more external web services assigned with the one or more types associated with the application; and

in response to the user selecting one of said web services, redirecting the client browser to the selected web service.

11. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the address is a URL (Uniform Resource Locator).

12. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the integration module is an API (Application Programming Interface).

13. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the first networked communication system is an enterprise portal.

14. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the second networked communication system is the World Wide Web.

15. (Original) The system 10, wherein the each entry in the table includes additional information about the corresponding external web service.

16. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the integration module is operative to generate a URL call to the selected external web service from the entry in the table corresponding to the selected external web service.

17. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 16, wherein the URL call is in an Open Catalog Interface or Open Partner Interface compliant OCI/OPI-compliant format.

18. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 10, wherein the integration module is operative to receive a response from the selected external web service in an Open Catalog Interface or Open Partner Interface compliant OCI/OPI-compliant format.

19. (Currently Amended) An article comprising a machine-readable medium including machine-executable instructions operative to cause a machine to:
- store an address for each of a plurality of web services;
 - assign one of a plurality of types with each web service;
 - associate one or more of said plurality of types to an application;
 - in response to a client running the application, send a list identifying one or more web services assigned with the one or more types associated with the application; and
 - in response to the user selecting one of the one or more web services in the list, redirect the client to the selected web service.